

- Claim(s) 1-4, 7-26, 39-40 and 43-48 are pending in the application;
- Claim(s) 1-4, 7-26, 39-40 and 43-48 are rejected.

### **In the Claims**

Applicants submit herewith a “marked-up” version of the claims. Applicants respectfully request entry of the contained amendments:

- Please cancel claim 9 without prejudice.
- Please amend claims 1-4, 7-8, 10-26, 39-40 and 43-48 as shown on the marked-up version of the claims.

The submitted marked-up version of the claims follows standard amendment rules, wherein added text has been underlined and deleted text has been bracketed. The status of all claims is also indicated.

### **Remarks to Amended Claims**

Several amendments have been made to the Claims. Claim 9 has been deleted. All remaining Claims (Claims 1-4, 7-8, 10-26, 39-40 and 43-48) have been amended. The amendments to the claims are directed to remove reference to a therapeutic system or direct reference to a patient, and refer only to system to deliver genetically engineered cells to a tissue.